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**Thirty-second Regular Session of the Legislature
Under the Adoption of the
Constitution of 1974**

House of Representatives
State Capitol
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Thursday, June 1, 2006

The House of Representatives was called to order at 1:00 P.M., by the Honorable Joe R. Salter, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Morning Hour

ROLL CALL

The roll being called, the following members answered to their names:

PRESENT

Mr. Speaker	Fannin	Montgomery
Alario	Farrar	Morrish
Alexander	Faucheux	Odinot
Ansardi	Frith	Pierre
Arnold	Gallot	Pinac
Badon	Geymann	Pitre
Baldone	Glover	Powell, M.
Barrow	Gray	Powell, T.
Baudoin	Greene	Quezaire
Baylor	Guillory, E.	Richmond
Beard	Guillory, M.	Ritchie
Bowler	Hammett	Robideaux
Bruce	Harris	Romero
Bruneau	Hebert	Scalise
Burns	Hill	Schneider
Burrell	Honey	Smiley
Carter, K.	Hopkins	Smith, G.
Carter, R.	Hunter	Smith, J.D.—50th
Cazayoux	Hutter	Smith, J.H.—8th
Chandler	Jackson	Smith, J.R.—30th
Crane	Jefferson	St. Germain
Cravins	Johns	Strain
Crowe	Katz	Thompson
Curtis	Kenney	Toomy
Damico	Kleckley	Townsend
Daniel	LaBruzzo	Trahan
Dartez	LaFleur	Triche
DeWitt	LaFonta	Tucker
Doerge	Lambert	Waddell
Dorsey	Lancaster	Walker
Dove	Marchand	Walsworth

Downs
Durand
Erdey
Total - 102

Martiny
McDonald
McVea

White
Winston
Wooton

ABSENT

Heaton
Total - 3

Kennard

Morrell

The Speaker announced that there were 102 members present and a quorum.

Prayer

Prayer was offered by Dr. David Womack.

Pledge of Allegiance

Rep. Lancaster led the House in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America.

Miss Meagan Legnon sang *The National Anthem*.

Reading of the Journal

On motion of Rep. Beard, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Rep. Toomy, the Journal of May 31, 2006, was adopted.

**Petitions, Memorials and
Communications**

The following petitions, memorials, and communications were received and read:

Message from the Senate

SENATE BILLS

June 1, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has finally passed the following Senate Bills:

Senate Bill Nos. 664, 700, 703, 726, and 752

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

**Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions
on First Reading**

The following Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on first reading were taken up, read, and placed upon the calendar for their second reading:

SENATE BILL NO. 664—
BY SENATOR DUPRE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 41:1702(D)(2)(a), relative to reclamation and restoration of certain lands; to provide relative to certain powers of the secretary of the Department of Natural Resources; to provide relative to certain agreements concerning the acquisition of land by certain entities for coastal projects; to provide certain requirements, procedures and definitions; to provide for the adoption of rules and regulations; to provide relative to agreements concerning ownership of minerals; to

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provide certain terms, conditions, and procedures; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 700—

BY SENATOR JONES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:642(B) and to enact R.S. 23:643, relative to payment of employees; to provide with respect to the establishment of a state minimum wage; to provide for an increase in the state minimum wage to six dollars and fifteen cents per hour; to provide with respect to the prohibition of a local governmental subdivision setting a minimum wage; to provide for exclusions; to provide for effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 703—

BY SENATORS HEITMEIER AND MOUNT

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4547.1(B), 4547.2(B) through (E), and 4547.3 and to enact R.S. 33:4547.1(C) and (D), 4547.2(F) through (H) and 4547.4, relative to performance-based energy efficiency contracts; to provide for award of certain performance-based energy efficiency contracts by political subdivisions; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 726—

BY SENATOR MARIONNEAUX

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 30:2418(I)(2) and (3)(a) and (N), relative to environmental quality; to provide relative to minimum payments to a permitted waste tire processing facility; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

SENATE BILL NO. 752 (Substitute of Senate Bill No. 629 by Senator Heitmeier)—

BY SENATOR HEITMEIER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1782 and 1808 and to enact R.S. 37:1785(D), 1787(A)(5), and 1809 through 1828, relative to pawnbrokers; to provide for definitions; to provide for licensing of pawnbrokers; to create the Louisiana State Board For Continuing Pawnbroker Education; to provide for membership of the board; to provide for powers and duties of the board; to provide for continuing education for pawnbrokers; to provide for rules regarding continuing education courses; to provide for reports to the board and commission; to provide for rules for noncompliance; to provide for fees; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

House and House Concurrent Resolutions

The following House and House Concurrent Resolutions lying over were taken up and acted upon as follows:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 258—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DURAND

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To create the Health Services Recovery Council to coordinate its efforts with other hurricane recovery entities, including the Louisiana Recovery Authority task forces and the Louisiana Health Care Redesign Collaborative, to ensure that the council's

activities and the implementation of local recovery plans are consistent with the state's long-term recovery principles.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 259—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DURAND AND SENATOR JACKSON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To reestablish the framework for regional health care consortiums created pursuant to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 95 of the 2004 Regular Session.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above resolution was referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

Senate Concurrent Resolutions

The following Senate Concurrent Resolutions were taken up and acted upon as follows:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 109—

BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere and heartfelt condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the passing of Winborn E. Davis, health care professional, consultant, educator, author, and administrator.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. DeWitt, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was concurred in.

Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on Second Reading to be Referred

The following Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on second reading to be referred were taken up, read, and referred to committees, as follows:

SENATE BILL NO. 445—

BY SENATOR JACKSON

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 40:600.26(G) and (H), relative to the Louisiana Housing Trust Fund Act of 2003; to provide for housing needs in declared disaster areas as a result of hurricanes Katrina and Rita; to provide for the priority of housing citizens who were displaced in a declared disaster area as a result of hurricanes Katrina and Rita; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

SENATE BILL NO. 673—

BY SENATOR MALONE

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 38:2212(T), relative to letting contracts; to require certain disclosures prior to a public entity entering into a contract for certain public work; to require submission of certain information; to provide certain terms, conditions and requirements; to provide certain penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works.

SENATE BILL NO. 708—
BY SENATOR MURRAY

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 11:3366, 3370(A), 3378(A)(1)(c) through (f) and (h) and (2)(a) through (c), 3383(A), and 3384(B), relative to retirement; to provide with respect to the Firefighters' Pension and Relief Fund in the City of New Orleans; to provide for service credit and benefits; to provide for military service credit; to provide for use of excess interest earnings; to provide for survivor benefits; to provide for minimum benefits; to provide for computation of benefits; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Under the rules, the above bill was referred to the Committee on Retirement.

Motion

On motion of Rep. Ansardi, the Committee on Civil Law and Procedure was discharged from further consideration of Senate Bill No. 229.

SENATE BILL NO. 229—
BY SENATORS DARDENNE, BAOJIE AND DUPRE
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VII, Section 10.11(C) of the Constitution of Louisiana, relative to the Louisiana Coastal Restoration Fund; to provide for the uses of monies in the fund; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

Read by title.

Motion

On motion of Rep. Ansardi, and under a suspension of the rules, the bill was ordered passed to its third reading.

**House and House Concurrent Resolutions
Reported by Committee**

The following House and House Concurrent Resolutions reported by committee were taken up and acted upon as follows:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 30—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GRAY
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the House Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations and the Senate Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations to meet and function as a joint committee to study domestic abuse and its effect in the workplace and to submit a report of its findings and recommendations to the governor and the legislature prior to the 2007 Regular Session of the Legislature.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

On motion of Rep. Lancaster, the resolution was ordered passed to its third reading.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 120—
BY REPRESENTATIVE GRAY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To request the House Committee on Health and Welfare and the Senate Committee on Health and Welfare to meet and function as a joint committee to study the current laws and regulations governing children in foster care in the state, to study the laws, regulations, and procedures which govern social workers charged with monitoring children in foster care, and to make recommendations for changes in the laws, rules, and procedures governing children in foster care in Louisiana.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on House and Governmental Affairs to Engrossed House Concurrent Resolution No. 120 by Representative Gray

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "To" delete "create the Task Force on Foster Care" and insert "request the House Committee on Health and Welfare and the Senate Committee on Health and Welfare to meet and function as a joint committee"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, delete lines 5 and 6 and insert the following:

"request the House Committee on Health and Welfare and the Senate Committee on Health and Welfare to meet and function as a joint committee to study the current laws and regulations governing children in foster care in the state, to study the laws, regulations, and procedures which govern social workers charged with monitoring children in foster care, and to make recommendations for changes in the laws, rules, and procedures governing children in foster care in Louisiana."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 7, after "that the" delete the remainder of the line and delete line 8 and insert "joint committee shall specifically solicit the input, recommendations, and advice of the following:"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 19, after "designated by the" insert "secretary of the"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 28, after "designated by the" insert "secretary of the"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, line 30, after "designated by the" insert "secretary of the"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 3, line 3, change "executive director" to "president"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 3, line 19, after "at-risk youth" delete the period and insert "designated by the state superintendent of education."

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AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 3, delete lines 20 through 30, and on page 4, delete lines 1 through 3

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 4, line 4, change "task force" to "joint committee"

On motion of Rep. Lancaster, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Lancaster, the resolution, as amended, was ordered reengrossed and passed to its third reading.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 166—

BY REPRESENTATIVE DURAND

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To continue and provide with respect to the Louisiana Public Mental Health Review Commission.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

On motion of Rep. Lancaster, the resolution was ordered passed to its third reading.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 206—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MARTINY

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To continue and provide for the Louisiana Task Force on Indigent Defense Services.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

On motion of Rep. Lancaster, the resolution was ordered passed to its third reading.

Senate Concurrent Resolutions Reported by Committee

The following Senate Concurrent Resolutions reported by committee were taken up and acted upon as follows:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 103—

BY SENATOR HINES

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To direct the secretary of the Department of Health and Hospitals to establish a committee to study and develop a methodology to provide needs assessments for federally qualified health centers and freestanding rural health clinics to systematically promote the expansion of primary and preventive health care services, develop and stimulate services provided by others to ensure better access to quality primary health care services, without adversely affecting Louisiana's established rural hospitals, their provider-based rural health clinics and the established medical practices of primary care physicians on the active medical staff of such rural hospital.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Health and Welfare.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Health and Welfare to Original Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 103 by Senator Hines

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, change "direct" to "urge and request"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, line 10, change "direct" to "urge and request"

On motion of Rep. Durand, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Durand, the resolution, as amended, was ordered passed to its third reading.

House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Second Reading Reported by Committee

The following House Bills and Joint Resolutions on second reading reported by committee were taken up and acted upon as follows:

HOUSE BILL NO. 157—

BY REPRESENTATIVE K. CARTER

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 49:191(2)(g) and to repeal R.S. 49:191(1)(c), relative to the Department of Insurance, including provisions to provide for the re-creation of the Department of Insurance and the statutory entities made a part of the department by law; to provide for the effective termination date for all statutory authority for the existence of such statutory entities; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Reported with amendments by the Committee on Insurance.

The committee amendments were read as follows:

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Insurance to Original House Bill No. 157 by Representative K. Carter

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "To" change "R.S. 49:191(4)" to "R.S. 49:191(2)(g)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 14, after "1," change "2013," to "2009,"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 19, after "4." change "R.S. 49:191(4)" to "R.S. 49:191(2)(g)"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 9, change "(4) July 1, 2012:" to "(2) July 1, 2008:"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, between lines 9 and 10, insert a line of asterisks "* * *"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, at the beginning of line 10, insert "(g)"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, between lines 11 and 12, insert a line of asterisks "* * *"

On motion of Rep. Karen Carter, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Karen Carter, the bill, as amended, was ordered engrossed and passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

**Senate Instruments on Second Reading
Returned from the Legislative Bureau**

The following Senate Instruments on second reading, returned from the Legislative Bureau, were taken up and acted upon as follows:

SENATE BILL NO. 296—

BY SENATORS QUINN AND HINES AND REPRESENTATIVE TOOMY
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to amend Article VI, Section 14 of the Constitution of Louisiana, to provide that no law, unless enacted by two-thirds of the elected members of each house of the legislature, requiring increased expenditures for any purpose shall be applicable to a city, parish, or other local public school board except under certain circumstances; to provide for exceptions to such prohibition; and to specify an election for submission of the proposition to electors and provide a ballot proposition.

Read by title.

Reported favorably by the Committee on House and Governmental Affairs.

Reported with amendments by the Legislative Bureau.

The Legislative Bureau amendments were read as follows:

LEGISLATIVE BUREAU AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Legislative Bureau to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 296 by Senator Quinn

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, line 1, following "This" and before the end of the line change "Subsection" to "Paragraph"

On motion of Rep. Lancaster, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Lancaster, the bill, as amended, was ordered passed to its third reading.

Under the rules, placed on the regular calendar.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Toomy, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third Reading and Final Passage at this time.

**House Bills and Joint Resolutions on
Third Reading and Final Passage**

The following House Bills and Joint Resolutions on third reading and final passage were taken up and acted upon as follows:

Regular Calendar

HOUSE BILL NO. 1399 (Substitute for House Bill No. 974 by Representative Gray)—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GRAY

AN ACT

To enact Part VIII of Chapter 14 of Title 33 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 33:5001 through 5005, relative to inclusionary zoning for affordable housing; to authorize and permit any municipality or parish with land use or zoning ordinances or regulations to adopt ordinances for inclusionary zoning for affordable housing; to provide definitions; to provide relative to such ordinances; to provide for reports; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

On motion of Rep. Gray, the bill was returned to the calendar.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Toomy, and under a suspension of the rules, the following bill was taken up out of its regular order at this time.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1178—

BY REPRESENTATIVES TOOMY, ANSARDI, ARNOLD, BRUCE, BRUNEAU, BURRELL, R. CARTER, CAZAYOUX, CROWE, DAMICO, DARTEZ, DOERGE, DURAND, FARRAR, FAUCHEUX, FRITH, GALLOT, HARRIS, HEBERT, HILL, JOHNS, LAFLEUR, LAMBERT, MARTINY, ODINET, PINAC, PITRE, M. POWELL, QUEZAIRE, RICHMOND, ROMERO, SALTER, SCALISE, SCHNEIDER, JACK SMITH, JANE SMITH, JOHN SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, THOMPSON, TOWNSEND, TRICHE, TUCKER, WALKER, WALSWORTH, AND WHITE AND SENATORS AMEDEE, CHAISSON, DARDENNE, FONTENOT, B. GAUTREAUX, HEITMEIER, HINES, HOLLIS, LENTINI, MOUNT, MURRAY, NEVERS, QUINN, ROMERO, AND ULLO

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 16:11(A)(1), relative to the annual salary of assistant district attorneys paid by the state; to provide for an increase in salary; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

Rep. Toomy sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Toomy to Engrossed House Bill No. 1178 by Representative Toomy

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 16, after "attorneys," delete the remainder of the line and delete line 17 in its entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, delete lines 1 through 3 in their entirety

On motion of Rep. Toomy, the amendments were adopted.

Rep. Toomy moved the final passage of the bill, as amended.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker

Farrar

Morrell

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Alario	Faucheux	Morrish
Alexander	Frith	Odinot
Ansardi	Gallot	Pinac
Arnold	Geymann	Pitre
Badon	Glover	Powell, M.
Baldone	Gray	Powell, T.
Barrow	Greene	Quezaire
Baudoin	Guillory, E.	Richmond
Baylor	Guillory, M.	Ritchie
Bowler	Hammett	Robideaux
Bruce	Harris	Romero
Bruneau	Heaton	Scalise
Burns	Hebert	Schneider
Burrell	Hill	Smiley
Carter, K.	Honey	Smith, G.
Carter, R.	Hopkins	Smith, J.D.—50th
Cazayoux	Hunter	Smith, J.H.—8th
Chandler	Hutter	Smith, J.R.—30th
Crane	Jackson	St. Germain
Cravins	Johns	Strain
Curtis	Kenney	Thompson
Damico	Kleckley	Toomy
Daniel	LaBruzzo	Townsend
Dartez	LaFleur	Trahan
DeWitt	LaFonta	Triche
Doerge	Lambert	Tucker
Dorsey	Lancaster	Waddell
Dove	Marchand	Walker
Downs	Martiny	Walsworth
Durand	McDonald	White
Erdey	McVea	Winston
Fannin	Montgomery	Wooton
Total - 99		

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Beard	Jefferson	Kennard
Crowe	Katz	Pierre
Total - 6		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Toomy moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Scalise, and under a suspension of the rules, the above roll call was corrected to reflect him as voting yea.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Toomy, and under a suspension of the rules, the following bill was taken up out of its regular order at this time.

HOUSE BILL NO. 126—

BY REPRESENTATIVES TOOMY AND MARTINY AND SENATORS JONES AND LENTINI

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 13:48, relative to the salary of judges of the supreme court, courts of appeal, district courts, parish courts, and city courts; to provide for an increase in the salary paid for by the state as recommended by the Judicial Compensation Commission; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

Rep. Greene sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Greene to Engrossed House Bill No. 126 by Representative Toomy

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the end of line 4, after "Commission;" insert "to provide for an exception;"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 13, after "city court" and before "parish" insert "judges who by law are prohibited from practicing law or who do not practice law and will not practice law as attested by an affidavit to be delivered to the Judicial Budgetary Control Council before any compensation is paid"

Rep. Greene moved the adoption of the amendments.

Rep. Toomy objected.

A record vote was asked for and ordered by the House.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Alexander	Bruneau	Robideaux
Beard	Erdey	Smiley
Bowler	Greene	Winston
Total - 9		

NAYS

Mr. Speaker	Farrar	Pierre
Alario	Faucheux	Pinac
Ansardi	Frith	Pitre
Arnold	Gallot	Powell, M.
Badon	Geymann	Powell, T.
Baldone	Glover	Quezaire
Barrow	Guillory, E.	Richmond
Baudoin	Guillory, M.	Ritchie
Baylor	Hammett	Romero
Bruce	Harris	Schneider
Burrell	Hebert	Smith, G.
Cazayoux	Hill	Smith, J.D.—50th
Chandler	Hopkins	Smith, J.H.—8th
Crane	Hunter	Smith, J.R.—30th
Cravins	Hutter	St. Germain
Crowe	Johns	Strain
Curtis	Kenney	Thompson
Damico	Kleckley	Toomy
Daniel	LaBruzzo	Townsend
Dartez	LaFleur	Trahan
DeWitt	Lancaster	Triche
Doerge	Martiny	Walker
Dorsey	McDonald	Walsworth
Downs	McVea	White
Durand	Montgomery	Wooton
Fannin	Odinot	
Total - 77		

ABSENT

Burns	Jackson	Morrell
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Carter, K.	Jefferson	Morrish
Carter, R.	Katz	Scalise
Dove	Kennard	Tucker
Gray	LaFonta	Waddell
Heaton	Lambert	
Honey	Marchand	
Total - 19		

The amendments were rejected.

Rep. Winston sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Winston to Engrossed House Bill No. 126 by Representative Toomy

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the end of line 14, insert the following:

"The provisions of this Section shall not apply to Sheriff's within the State of Louisiana who have not completed one term of office."

Point of Order

Rep. Faucheux asked for a ruling from the Chair as to whether the above amendments were germane to the subject matter contained in the bill as introduced.

Ruling of the Chair

The Chair ruled that the above amendments were not germane to the subject matter contained in the bill as introduced.

On motion of Rep. Winston, the amendments were withdrawn.

Rep. Toomy moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Frith	Odinot
Alario	Gallot	Pierre
Ansardi	Geymann	Pinac
Arnold	Glover	Pitre
Baldone	Gray	Powell, M.
Barrow	Guillory, E.	Powell, T.
Baylor	Guillory, M.	Quezaire
Bowler	Hammett	Richmond
Bruce	Harris	Ritchie
Bruneau	Heaton	Robideaux
Burns	Hebert	Romero
Burrell	Hill	Scalise
Carter, K.	Honey	Schneider
Cazayoux	Hopkins	Smiley
Chandler	Hunter	Smith, G.
Cravins	Hutter	Smith, J.D.—50th
Crowe	Jackson	Smith, J.H.—8th
Curtis	Jefferson	Smith, J.R.—30th
Damico	Johns	St. Germain
Daniel	Kenney	Strain
Dartez	Kleckley	Thompson
Doerge	LaBruzzo	Toomy
Dorsey	LaFleur	Townsend
Dove	Lancaster	Triche

Downs	Marchand	Tucker
Durand	Martiny	Waddell
Erdey	McDonald	Walker
Fannin	McVea	Walsworth
Farrar	Montgomery	White
Faucheux	Morrell	Wooton
Total - 90		

NAYS

Alexander	Crane	Trahan
Badon	Greene	
Beard	Morrish	
Total - 7		

ABSENT

Baudoin	Katz	Lambert
Carter, R.	Kennard	Winston
DeWitt	LaFonta	
Total - 8		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Toomy moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Explanation of Vote

Rep. Lambert disclosed a possible conflict of interest and recused himself from casting his vote on the amendments and final passage of the above bill.

Notice of Intention to Call

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.26(A), Rep. White gave notice of his intention to call House Bill No. 705 from the calendar for future action.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Baldone, and under a suspension of the rules, the following bill was taken up out of its regular order at this time.

HOUSE BILL NO. 643—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BALDONE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:1851(M) and to repeal R.S. 47:1851(G) and (K), relative to ad valorem taxation; to remove gas and pipeline companies from the definition of public service property for purposes of assessment by the Louisiana Tax Commission; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

Rep. Baldone sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Baldone to Engrossed House Bill No. 643 by Representative Baldone

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 14, after "express company," insert "local distribution gas company"

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On motion of Rep. Baldone, the amendments were adopted.

Rep. Baldone moved the final passage of the bill, as amended.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Ansardi	Dorsey	LaFleur
Arnold	Durand	Montgomery
Baldone	Erdey	Morrish
Barrow	Frith	Odinot
Baudoin	Gallot	Pinac
Baylor	Gray	Quezaire
Bowler	Greene	Ritchie
Bruce	Guillory, M.	Romero
Carter, R.	Hammett	Smith, G.
Cazayoux	Harris	Smith, J.D.—50th
Chandler	Hebert	St. Germain
Cravins	Hill	Triche
Curtis	Honey	Walker
Damico	Hutter	Wooton
Dartez	Kenney	
Doerge	LaBruzzo	
Total - 46		

NAYS

Mr. Speaker	Geymann	Pitre
Alario	Glover	Powell, M.
Alexander	Guillory, E.	Powell, T.
Badon	Hopkins	Robideaux
Beard	Hunter	Scalise
Bruneau	Jackson	Schneider
Burns	Johns	Smiley
Burrell	Katz	Smith, J.H.—8th
Crane	Kleckley	Strain
Crowe	Lambert	Thompson
Daniel	Lancaster	Townsend
DeWitt	Martiny	Trahan
Downs	McDonald	Walsworth
Fannin	McVea	White
Faucheux	Pierre	Winston
Total - 45		

ABSENT

Carter, K.	Kennard	Smith, J.R.—30th
Dove	LaFonta	Toomy
Farrar	Marchand	Tucker
Heaton	Morrell	Waddell
Jefferson	Richmond	
Total - 14		

Failed to pass.

Motion to reconsider pending.

Suspension of the Rules

On joint motion of Reps. Crowe and McDonald, and under a suspension of the rules, the above roll call was corrected to reflect them as voting nay.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Hunter, and under a suspension of the rules, the following bill was taken up out of its regular order at this time.

HOUSE BILL NO. 778—

BY REPRESENTATIVES HUNTER, BAUDOIN, AND THOMPSON
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 46:236.16(A) and to enact R.S. 9:315.26, relative to child support; to provide for the collection of past due child support; to authorize the recordation of liens on motor vehicles owned by a party owing past due support; to provide recordation of judgments; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

Rep. Hunter sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Hunter to Engrossed House Bill No. 778 by Representative Hunter

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, delete "amend and reenact R.S. 46:236.16(A) and to"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 2, after "R.S. 9:315.26" and before the comma ",", insert "and R.S. 32:708.1"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, at the beginning of line 4, change "recordation" to "filing"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 5, change "recordation" to "procedures for the filing"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, line 10, after "may" and before "the" change "record" to "file"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 1, line 11, change "32:708" to "32:708.1 and subject to the provisions of R.S. 13:3881"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 1, line 19, change "46:236.16(A)" to "32:708.1"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, delete lines 1 through 20 in their entirety and insert the following:

"§708.1. Issuance of certificates; satisfaction of child support lien or security interest; security measures

A. A judgment creditor who has obtained a final, nonappealable, judgment ordering the payment of past due child support which has remained unpaid at least sixty days after it has become final may file the judgment with the office of motor vehicles to perfect a security interest on any motor vehicle titled in the name of the judgment debtor.

B. The security interest on the titled motor vehicle shall be perfected by filing with the office of motor vehicles the appropriate documentation as required by this Section, together with the

appropriate fees charged for titles and security interests. Any filing which fails to comply with this Section shall be rejected by the office of motor vehicles and shall not result in the perfection of a security interest.

C. The following documents shall be required to be filed to perfect a security interest on a titled motor vehicle:

(1) A completed application signed by the judgment creditor or the judgment creditor's attorney on a form approved by the office of motor vehicles. The form shall contain information that the office of motor vehicles may deem necessary to process the transaction.

(2) A certified copy of the final, nonappealable, judgment.

(3) A statement verified and signed by the creditor or the creditor's attorney attesting to the following facts:

(a) That the judgment is final, that no appeal was taken, or if an appeal was taken, the judgment was affirmed on appeal and all delays for review of the judgment have expired.

(b) That more than sixty days have elapsed since the judgment become final and it remains unpaid.

(4) The previously issued certificate of title of the motor vehicle on which the lien is to be recorded.

D. The court, as part of its judgment of awarding past due child support, may order the judgment debtor to surrender the certificate of title to the judgment creditor. The failure to surrender the certificate of title shall be enforced by the court."

On motion of Rep. Hunter, the amendments were adopted.

Rep. Hunter moved the final passage of the bill, as amended.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Farrar	Morrish
Alario	Faucheux	Odinot
Alexander	Frith	Pierre
Ansardi	Gallot	Pinac
Arnold	Geymann	Pitre
Badon	Gray	Powell, M.
Baldone	Greene	Powell, T.
Barrow	Guillory, E.	Quezaire
Baudoin	Guillory, M.	Richmond
Bowler	Hammett	Ritchie
Bruce	Harris	Robideaux
Bruneau	Heaton	Romero
Burns	Hebert	Scalise
Burrell	Hill	Schneider
Carter, K.	Honey	Smiley
Carter, R.	Hopkins	Smith, G.
Cazayoux	Hunter	Smith, J.D.—50th
Chandler	Hutter	Smith, J.H.—8th
Crane	Jackson	Smith, J.R.—30th
Cravins	Jefferson	St. Germain
Crowe	Katz	Strain
Curtis	Kenney	Thompson
Damico	Kleckley	Toomy
Daniel	LaBruzzo	Townsend
Dartez	LaFleur	Trahan
DeWitt	LaFonta	Triche
Doerge	Lambert	Tucker
Dorsey	Lancaster	Waddell

Dove	Martiny	Walker
Downs	McDonald	Walsworth
Durand	McVea	White
Erdey	Montgomery	Winston
Fannin	Morrell	Wooton

Total - 99

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Baylor	Glover	Kennard
Beard	Johns	Marchand

Total - 6

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Hunter moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Burns, and under a suspension of the rules, the following bill was taken up out of its regular order at this time.

HOUSE BILL NO. 619—

BY REPRESENTATIVES BURNS AND SCHNEIDER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 29:726(F), relative to the Governor's Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness; to include within the authority and responsibilities of the office to develop a wireless communications system; to include within the system coordination between local and state responders; to include within the system certain components; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

Rep. Burns sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Burns to Engrossed House Bill No. 619 by Representative Burns

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 12, after "The" delete the remainder of the line in its entirety and insert in lieu thereof "Governor's Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, at the beginning of line 13, delete "Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness"

On motion of Rep. Burns, the amendments were adopted.

Rep. Burns sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Burns to Engrossed House Bill No. 619 by Representative Burns

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AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, at the beginning of line 1, change "(2)(a)" to "(2)(a)(i)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, line 3, after "an" and before "emergency" insert "all-hazards"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, between lines 7 and 8, insert the following:

"(ii) If the rapid communications system cannot initially be applied statewide, it shall first be implemented in the coastal parishes in south Louisiana and phased in by system capabilities starting with text and voice messaging first."

"(iii) The emergency alert and notification system may be set up by the Governor's Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness in the individual homeland security and emergency preparedness regions rather than one centralized control center."

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 8, after "the" and before "emergency" insert "all-hazards"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 10, after "the" and before "emergency" insert "all-hazards"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, at the end of line 10, delete "text" and insert "a text-based emergency alert and notification system containing"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, at the end of line 11, delete "and"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, at the end of line 12, delete the period "." and insert a comma "," "and satellite phone and satellite radio with two-way send and reply capabilities."

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 2, line 13, after "The" and before "emergency" insert "all-hazards"

AMENDMENT NO. 10

On page 2, delete lines 26 through 28 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 11

On page 3, at the beginning of line 1, change "(e)" to "(d)"

AMENDMENT NO. 12

On page 3, delete lines 8 through 13 in their entirety and insert the following:

"(iii) The rapid communication system shall have at a maximum a text-based emergency alert and notification component where users may self register to receive all-hazards emergency information from their local parishes and the state and users can

manage their personal contact information whether by e-mail, cell phone, pager, or personal digital assistant as they choose.

(iv) The text-based alert and notification system shall be capable of enabling local and state emergency officials to send text alerts to such users based upon their preferences or geographical location by parish, emergency preparedness and homeland security regions, or state-wide and the system shall be capable of tracking replies from such users.

(v) Each of the emergency preparedness and homeland security region systems shall be capable of delivering in excess of fifteen thousand messages per minute.

(e) The rapid communication system shall include the parish sheriffs and local emergency managers who shall be trained and shall have the authority and unfettered capability to notify key government leaders, first responders, employees, other emergency personnel, other parishes, residents, and key businesses during an all-hazards incident.

(3) The provisions of this Subsection shall be implemented through the use of federal funds that are disbursed to the state for interoperability."

On motion of Rep. Burns, the amendments were adopted.

Rep. Burns moved the final passage of the bill, as amended.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Alexander	Geymann	Quezaire
Ansardi	Gray	Richmond
Arnold	Greene	Robideaux
Badon	Guillory, E.	Scalise
Baldone	Harris	Schneider
Barrow	Hebert	Smiley
Baudoin	Hutter	Smith, G.
Beard	Johns	Smith, J.D.--50th
Bowler	Katz	Smith, J.H.--8th
Bruce	Kleckley	Smith, J.R.--30th
Bruneau	LaBruzzo	St. Germain
Burns	LaFleur	Strain
Crane	Lambert	Toomy
Cravins	Lancaster	Townsend
Crowe	Martiny	Trahan
Curtis	McVea	Triche
Daniel	Montgomery	Tucker
Dartez	Morrell	Waddell
Dove	Morrish	Walker
Downs	Odinot	Walsworth
Durand	Pierre	White
Erdey	Pitre	Winston
Farrar	Powell, M.	Wooton
Frith	Powell, T.	
Total - 71		

NAYS

Mr. Speaker	Fannin	Hunter
Alario	Faucheux	Jackson
Baylor	Gallot	Jefferson
Carter, R.	Glover	Kenney
Chandler	Hammett	McDonald
Damico	Heaton	Pinac
DeWitt	Hill	Ritchie
Doerge	Honey	Romero
Dorsey	Hopkins	Thompson

Total - 27

ABSENT

Burrell	Guillory, M.	Marchand
Carter, K.	Kennard	
Cazayoux	LaFonta	
Total - 7		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Burns moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Burns, and under a suspension of the rules, the following bill was taken up out of its regular order at this time.

HOUSE BILL NO. 540—

BY REPRESENTATIVES BURNS AND SCHNEIDER

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 29:726(F), relative to the Governor's Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness; to require the office to develop a communications system; to require the system to be able to withstand hurricane force winds; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

Rep. Burns sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Burns to Engrossed House Bill No. 540 by Representative Burns

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "To" delete "amend and reenact R.S. 29:726(F)" and insert "enact R.S. 29:726(G)"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 7, after "Section 1." delete "R.S. 29:726(F) is hereby amended and reenacted" and insert "R.S. 29:726(G) is hereby enacted"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, delete lines 11 through 18 in their entirety

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 2, line 1, change "(2)(a)" to "G. (1)"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 2, line 3, after "fiber" delete "and/"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, line 4, change "(b)" to "(2)"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, delete line 8 and insert the following:

"(3) The provisions of this Subsection shall be implemented through the use of federal funds that are disbursed to the state for interoperability."

On motion of Rep. Burns, the amendments were adopted.

Rep. Burns moved the final passage of the bill, as amended.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Alexander	Geymann	Powell, T.
Ansardi	Glover	Quezaire
Arnold	Gray	Robideaux
Baldone	Greene	Scalise
Barrow	Guillory, E.	Schneider
Baudoin	Hebert	Smiley
Bowler	Hutter	Smith, G.
Bruce	Johns	Smith, J.H.—8th
Bruneau	Katz	Smith, J.R.—30th
Burns	Kleckley	Strain
Burrell	LaBruzzo	Townsend
Cazayoux	LaFleur	Trahan
Crane	Lambert	Triche
Crowe	Lancaster	Tucker
Daniel	Martiny	Waddell
Downs	McVea	Walker
Erdey	Morrish	Walsworth
Farrar	Pitre	Winston
Frith	Powell, M.	Wooton
Total - 57		

NAYS

Mr. Speaker	Fannin	Kenney
Alario	Faucheux	McDonald
Baylor	Gallot	Montgomery
Carter, R.	Guillory, M.	Odinot
Chandler	Hammett	Pierre
Cravins	Harris	Pinac
Damico	Heaton	Richmond
Dartez	Hill	Ritchie
DeWitt	Honey	Romero
Doerge	Hopkins	Smith, J.D.—50th
Dorsey	Hunter	St. Germain
Dove	Jackson	Thompson
Durand	Jefferson	Toomy
Total - 39		

ABSENT

Badon	Curtis	Marchand
Beard	Kennard	Morrell
Carter, K.	LaFonta	White
Total - 9		

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Burns moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Downs, and under a suspension of the rules, the above roll call was corrected to reflect him as voting yea.

Notice of Intention to Call

Pursuant to House Rule No. 8.26(A), Rep. Karen Carter gave notice of her intention to call House Bill No. 682 from the calendar for future action.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Gray, and under a suspension of the rules, the following bill was taken up out of its regular order at this time.

HOUSE BILL NO. 515—

BY REPRESENTATIVE JEFFERSON
AN ACT

To enact Part V of Chapter 10 of Title 46 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, to be comprised of R.S. 46:1094 through 1097, relative to hospital service districts; to create the Parish Hospital Service District for the parish of Orleans; to provide that such district shall be divided into two separate areas; to provide for the creation of two separate governing boards for each such area and to provide for the membership of each such board; to provide for the powers, duties, functions, and responsibilities of the district and each governing board; to provide relative to per diem paid to governing board members; to provide for limitations; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

Rep. Gray sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Jefferson to Engrossed House Bill No. 515 by Representative Jefferson

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, line 10, after "two shall serve" and before "years," change "two" to "three"

On motion of Rep. Gray, the amendments were adopted.

Rep. Gray sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Jefferson to Engrossed House Bill No. 515 by Representative Jefferson

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 4, between lines 21 and 22, insert the following:

"D. No hospital shall be constructed or acquired pursuant to this Part until a professionally prepared financial feasibility study is completed. Such study shall include an examination of the financial feasibility of staffing such an entity under the then current conditions. The study shall be conducted by a firm qualified for such purposes by the FHA 242 mortgage program."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 4, line 22, change "D." to "E."

On motion of Rep. Gray, the amendments were adopted.

Rep. Gray moved the final passage of the bill, as amended.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Faucheux	Morrell
Alario	Frith	Morrish
Alexander	Gallot	Odinot
Ansardi	Geymann	Pierre
Arnold	Glover	Pinac
Badon	Gray	Pitre
Baldone	Greene	Powell, M.
Barrow	Guillory, E.	Powell, T.
Baudoin	Guillory, M.	Quezaire
Baylor	Hammett	Richmond
Beard	Harris	Ritchie
Bowler	Heaton	Robideaux
Bruce	Hebert	Romero
Bruneau	Hill	Scalise
Burns	Honey	Schneider
Burrell	Hopkins	Smiley
Carter, K.	Hunter	Smith, G.
Carter, R.	Hutter	Smith, J.D.—50th
Cazayoux	Jackson	Smith, J.H.—8th
Chandler	Jefferson	Smith, J.R.—30th
Crane	Johns	St. Germain
Cravins	Katz	Strain
Crowe	Kenney	Thompson
Curtis	Kleckley	Toomy
Damico	LaBruzzo	Townsend
Daniel	LaFleur	Trahan
Dartez	LaFonta	Triche
DeWitt	Lambert	Tucker
Doerge	Lancaster	Waddell
Dorsey	Marchand	Walker
Dove	Martiny	Walsworth
Durand	McDonald	White
Fannin	McVea	Winston
Farrar	Montgomery	Wooton

Total - 102

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Downs	Erdey	Kennard
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Total - 3

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Gray moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on her own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Pitre, and under a suspension of the rules, the following bill was taken up out of its regular order at this time.

HOUSE BILL NO. 809—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PITRE
AN ACT

To enact R.S. 28:53(P), 53.2(H), and 54(F), relative to transportation of persons suffering from mental illness or substance abuse; to provide relative to the law enforcement agency responsible for transportation; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

Rep. Pitre sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Pitre to Engrossed House Bill No. 809 by Representative Pitre

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the end of line 2, delete "suffering" and insert "demonstrating a need for a behavioral health intervention"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, at the beginning of line 3, delete "from mental illness or substance abuse"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, at the end of line 11, delete "is" and insert "demonstrates a need for a behavioral health intervention"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, at the beginning of line 12, delete "mentally ill or suffering from substance abuse"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, at the end of line 20, delete "is" and insert "demonstrates a need for a behavioral health intervention"

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, at the beginning of line 1, delete "mentally ill or suffering from substance abuse"

AMENDMENT NO. 7

On page 2, at the end of line 7, delete "is" and insert "demonstrates a need for a behavioral health intervention"

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 2, at the beginning of line 8, delete "mentally ill or suffering from substance abuse"

On motion of Rep. Pitre, the amendments were adopted.

Rep. Gallot sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Gallot to Engrossed House Bill No. 809 by Representative Pitre

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 10, after "municipality" and before the comma "," insert "and is to be transported within the corporate limits of the municipality"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 19, after "municipality" and before the comma "," insert "and is to be transported within the corporate limits of the municipality"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, line 6, after "municipality" and before the comma "," insert "and is to be transported within the corporate limits of the municipality"

Rep. Gallot moved the adoption of the amendments.

Rep. Pitre objected.

By a vote of 82 yeas and 14 nays, the amendments were adopted.

Rep. DeWitt sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative DeWitt to Engrossed House Bill No. 809 by Representative Pitre

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the end of line 13, insert "The provisions of this Subsection shall not apply in Rapides Parish."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, at the end of line 2, insert "The provisions of this Subsection shall not apply in Rapides Parish."

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, at the end of line 9, insert "The provisions of this Subsection shall not apply in Rapides Parish."

Rep. DeWitt moved the adoption of the amendments.

Rep. Pitre objected.

By a vote of 91 yeas and 1 nays, the amendments were adopted.

Motion

On motion of Rep. Pitre, the bill, as amended, was returned to the calendar.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Pinac, and under a suspension of the rules, the following bill was taken up out of its regular order at this time.

HOUSE BILL NO. 659—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PINAC

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 6:1004.1(A) and (B)(1), 1004.2, 1006(A) and (B)(2), and 1007(A) and (B) and to enact R.S. 6:1004(D) and 1006(C), relative to the Louisiana Check Cashing Law; to provide for change of control provisions; to provide for application and renewal fees; to provide for investigation of violations; to provide relative to application and reapplication for licenses; to provide for hearings for violators; to provide for fees and name and location changes; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

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Read by title.

Rep. Pinac moved the final passage of the bill.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Fannin	McVea
Alario	Farrar	Montgomery
Ansardi	Faucheux	Morrish
Arnold	Frith	Odinot
Badon	Gallot	Pierre
Baldone	Geymann	Pinac
Barrow	Glover	Pitre
Baudoin	Gray	Powell, T.
Baylor	Guillory, E.	Quezaire
Bowler	Guillory, M.	Richmond
Bruce	Hammett	Ritchie
Bruneau	Harris	Schneider
Burns	Heaton	Smith, G.
Burrell	Hebert	Smith, J.D.—50th
Carter, K.	Hill	Smith, J.H.—8th
Carter, R.	Honey	Smith, J.R.—30th
Cazayoux	Hopkins	St. Germain
Chandler	Hunter	Strain
Crane	Hutter	Thompson
Cravins	Jackson	Toomy
Curtis	Jefferson	Townsend
Damico	Johns	Trahan
Daniel	Katz	Triche
Dartez	Kenney	Tucker
DeWitt	Kleckley	Waddell
Doerge	LaBruzzo	Walker
Dorsey	LaFleur	White
Downs	Lancaster	Winston
Durand	Martiny	Wooton
Erdey	McDonald	
Total - 89		

NAYS

Alexander	Romero	Walsworth
Powell, M.	Scalise	
Robideaux	Smiley	
Total - 7		

ABSENT

Beard	Greene	Lambert
Crowe	Kennard	Marchand
Dove	LaFonta	Morrell
Total - 9		

The Chair declared the above bill, having received a two-thirds vote of the elected members, was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Pinac moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Suspension of the Rules

Rep. Walsworth moved for a suspension of the rules in order to take up out of its regular order House Bill No. 1236 at this time.

Rep. LaFleur objected.

By a vote of 44 yeas and 46 nays, the motion not having received a two-thirds vote of the members present and voting, the House refused to suspend the rules.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Richmond, and under a suspension of the rules, the following bill was taken up out of its regular order at this time.

HOUSE BILL NO. 318— BY REPRESENTATIVE RICHMOND AN ACT

To enact R.S. 22:1484(10), relative to insurance; to provide for the use of 2005 credit information for persons in declared disaster areas in 2005; and to provide for related matters.

Called from the calendar.

Read by title.

Rep. Richmond sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representative Richmond to Engrossed House Bill No. 318 by Representative Richmond

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, after "insurance;" delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 3 and 4 in their entirety and insert the following:

"to provide for prohibiting the use of credit information that would increase expiring premiums for policies that renew during a certain period; and to provide for related matters."

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, delete lines 11 through 13 in their entirety and insert the following:

"(10) Use credit information which would increase the expiring premium, due to a change in credit information, for policies that renew between the effective date of this Act and December 31, 2006."

On motion of Rep. Richmond, the amendments were adopted.

Rep. Richmond moved the final passage of the bill, as amended.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Farrar	Morrell
Alario	Faucheux	Morrish
Alexander	Frith	Odinot
Ansardi	Gallot	Pierre
Arnold	Geymann	Pinac
Badon	Glover	Pitre
Baldone	Gray	Powell, M.
Barrow	Guillory, E.	Powell, T.
Baudoin	Guillory, M.	Quezaire
Baylor	Hammett	Richmond
Beard	Harris	Ritchie
Bowler	Hebert	Romero
Bruce	Hill	Scalise

Bruneau	Honey	Schneider
Burns	Hopkins	Smiley
Burrell	Hunter	Smith, G.
Carter, K.	Hutter	Smith, J.D.—50th
Carter, R.	Jackson	Smith, J.H.—8th
Cazayoux	Jefferson	Smith, J.R.—30th
Crane	Johns	St. Germain
Cravins	Katz	Strain
Crowe	Kenney	Thompson
Curtis	Kleckley	Toomy
Damico	LaBruzzo	Townsend
Daniel	LaFleur	Trahan
Dartez	LaFonta	Triche
DeWitt	Lambert	Tucker
Doerge	Lancaster	Waddell
Dorsey	Marchand	Walker
Downs	Martiny	Walsworth
Durand	McDonald	White
Erdey	McVea	Winston
Fannin	Montgomery	Wooton

Total - 99

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Chandler	Greene	Kennard
Dove	Heaton	Robideaux

Total - 6

The Chair declared the above bill was finally passed.

The title of the above bill was read and adopted.

Rep. Richmond moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was finally passed, and, on his own motion, the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Quezaire, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider Conference Committee Reports at this time.

Conference Committee Reports for Consideration

The following Conference Committee Reports were taken up and acted upon as follows:

HOUSE BILL NO. 419—

BY REPRESENTATIVE QUEZAIRE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 47:820.5(B)(introductory paragraph), relative to tolls on the Greater New Orleans Mississippi River Bridges; to authorize the Crescent City Connection Division to sell Automatic Vehicular Identification tags for use on such bridges; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT House Bill No. 419 By Representative Quezaire

May 18, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 419 by Representative Quezaire, recommend the following concerning the engrossed bill:

1. That the set of Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Ullo and adopted by the Senate on April 24, 2006, be adopted.
2. That the following amendment to the engrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, delete line 3 in its entirety and at the beginning of line 4, delete "dollars."

Respectfully submitted,

Representative Roy Quezaire, Jr.
Representative Dale Erdey
Representative Karen St. Germain
Senator Noble E. Ellington
Senator Chris Ullo
Senator Francis C. Heitmeier

Rep. Quezaire moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Fannin	McVea
Alario	Farrar	Montgomery
Alexander	Faucheux	Morrell
Ansardi	Frith	Morrish
Arnold	Gallot	Odinot
Baldone	Geymann	Pierre
Barrow	Glover	Pinac
Baudoin	Gray	Pitre
Baylor	Greene	Powell, M.
Beard	Guillory, E.	Powell, T.
Bowler	Guillory, M.	Quezaire
Bruce	Hammett	Richmond
Bruneau	Harris	Ritchie
Burns	Heaton	Robideaux
Burrell	Hebert	Romero
Carter, K.	Hill	Scalise
Carter, R.	Honey	Schneider
Cazayoux	Hopkins	Smiley
Chandler	Hunter	Smith, G.
Crane	Hutter	Smith, J.H.—8th
Cravins	Jackson	Smith, J.R.—30th
Crowe	Jefferson	St. Germain
Curtis	Johns	Strain
Damico	Katz	Thompson
Daniel	Kenney	Toomy
Dartez	Kleckley	Trahan
DeWitt	LaBruzzo	Triche
Doerge	LaFleur	Waddell
Dorsey	LaFonta	Walker
Dove	Lambert	Walsworth
Downs	Lancaster	White
Durand	Martiny	Winston
Erdey	McDonald	Wooton

Total - 99

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

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Badon	Marchand	Townsend
Kennard	Smith, J.D.—50th	Tucker
Total - 6		

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

HOUSE BILL NO. 66—

BY REPRESENTATIVES FANNIN AND WALSWORTH
AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 38:3087.135, relative to the Sparta Groundwater Conservation District; to provide for meeting location; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT House Bill No. 66 By Representative Fannin

May 30, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 66 by Representative Fannin, recommend the following concerning the Engrossed bill:

1. That the set of Senate Floor Amendments proposed by Senator Malone and adopted by the Senate on May 1, 2006, be rejected.
2. That the following amend to the engrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, at the end of line 17, insert "However, the board may hold a meeting in any of the aforementioned parishes to address concerns particular to that parish."

Respectfully submitted,

Representative James R. Fannin
Representative N. J. Damico
Representative Hollis Downs
Senator Mike Smith
Senator Max T. Malone
Senator Robert W. "Bob" Kostelka

Rep. Fannin moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Fannin	Montgomery
Alario	Farrar	Morrell
Alexander	Fauchoux	Morrish
Ansardi	Frith	Odinot
Arnold	Gallot	Pierre
Badon	Geymann	Pinac
Baldone	Glover	Pitre
Barrow	Gray	Powell, M.
Baudoin	Greene	Powell, T.
Baylor	Guillory, E.	Quezaire
Beard	Guillory, M.	Richmond
Bowler	Hammett	Robideaux

Bruce	Harris	Romero
Bruneau	Heaton	Scalise
Burns	Hebert	Schneider
Burrell	Hill	Smiley
Carter, K.	Honey	Smith, G.
Carter, R.	Hopkins	Smith, J.D.—50th
Cazayoux	Hunter	Smith, J.H.—8th
Chandler	Hutter	Smith, J.R.—30th
Crane	Jackson	Strain
Cravins	Jefferson	Thompson
Crowe	Johns	Toomy
Curtis	Katz	Townsend
Damico	Kenney	Trahan
Daniel	Kleckley	Triche
Dartez	LaBruzzo	Tucker
DeWitt	LaFleur	Waddell
Doerge	LaFonta	Walker
Dorsey	Lambert	Walsworth
Dove	Marchand	White
Downs	Martiny	Winston
Durand	McDonald	Wooton
Erdey	McVea	

Total - 101

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Kennard	Ritchie
Lancaster	St. Germain
Total - 4	

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1133—

BY REPRESENTATIVES DARTEZ, JACK SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, FAUCHEUX, AND GARY SMITH AND SENATORS AMEDEE AND B. GAUTREAUX

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 16:516, 517, and 518, relative to the payment of health insurance premiums of district attorneys in the Twenty-Third, Twenty-Ninth, and Fortieth judicial districts; to provide with respect to payment of health insurance for certain retired district attorneys; to establish criteria for eligibility; to provide for the payment of such premiums by the district attorney's office; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT House Bill No. 1133 By Representative Dartez

May 30, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable President and Members of the Senate.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We, the conferees appointed to confer over the disagreement between the two houses concerning House Bill No. 1133 by Representative Dartez, recommend the following concerning the Reengrossed bill:

1. That Senate Committee Amendments Nos. 1 through 7 proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary B by the Senate on May 17, 2006 be rejected.
3. That Senate Floor Amendments Nos. 1 through 4 proposed by Senator Amedee and adopted by the Senate on May 23, 2006 be rejected.

3. That the following amendments to the reengrossed bill be adopted:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, line 2, change "R.S. 16:516, 517, and 518" to "R.S. 16:516"

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, line 3, after "the" delete the remainder of the line and insert "Fourth, Fifth, Twenty-First, Twenty-Third, Twenty-Ninth, and Fortieth judicial"

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 1, line 8, change "R.S. 16:516, 517, and 518 are" to "R.S. 16:516 is"

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 1, line 9, change "attorney" to "attorneys; certain judicial districts"

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 1, delete lines 10 through 19 in their entirety and insert the following:

"The premium costs of group health insurance shall be paid in full from the district attorney's general fund, in and for the Fourth, Fifth, Twenty-First, Twenty-Third, Twenty-Ninth, and Fortieth judicial districts as may be applicable, for any district attorney who retired from their respective judicial district with at least thirty years of full-time service regardless of age."

AMENDMENT NO. 6

On page 2, delete lines 1 through 5 in their entirety

Respectfully submitted,

Representative Carla Blanchard Dartez
Representative Joseph F. Toomy
Representative Karen St. Germain
Senator D. A. "Butch" Gautreaux
Senator Jody Amedee
Senator Robert Marionneaux, Jr.

Rep. Dartez moved to adopt the Conference Committee Report.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Farrar	Morrell
Alario	Faucheux	Morrish
Alexander	Frith	Odinot
Ansardi	Gallot	Pierre
Arnold	Geymann	Pinac
Badon	Glover	Pitre
Baldone	Gray	Powell, M.
Barrow	Greene	Powell, T.
Baudoin	Guillory, E.	Quezaire
Baylor	Hammett	Richmond
Bowler	Harris	Ritchie
Bruce	Heaton	Robideaux
Bruneau	Hebert	Romero
Burns	Hill	Scalise

Burrell	Honey	Schneider
Carter, K.	Hopkins	Smiley
Carter, R.	Hunter	Smith, G.
Cazayoux	Hutter	Smith, J.H.—8th
Chandler	Jackson	Smith, J.R.—30th
Crane	Jefferson	St. Germain
Cravins	Johns	Strain
Curtis	Katz	Thompson
Damico	Kenney	Toomy
Daniel	Kleckley	Trahan
Dartez	LaBruzzo	Triche
DeWitt	LaFleur	Tucker
Doerge	LaFonta	Waddell
Dorsey	Lambert	Walker
Dove	Lancaster	Walsworth
Downs	Martiny	White
Durand	McDonald	Winston
Erdey	McVea	Wooton
Fannin	Montgomery	

Total - 98

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Beard	Kennard	Townsend
Crowe	Marchand	
Guillory, M.	Smith, J.D.—50th	

Total - 7

The Conference Committee Report was adopted.

SENATE BILL NO. 507—
BY SENATOR HEITMEIER**AN ACT**

To amend and reenact R.S. 39:128(B)(4), relative to the exemption from the Capital Outlay Act for certain university and higher education facility contracts; to provide that funding for such projects be made available to the office of facility planning and control; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

On motion of Rep. Alario, the bill was returned to the calendar.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Hutter, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider House and House Concurrent Resolutions on Third Reading for Final Consideration at this time.

**House and House Concurrent Resolutions on
Third Reading for Final Consideration**

The following House and House Concurrent Resolutions on third reading for final consideration were taken up and acted upon as follows:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 180—
BY REPRESENTATIVES HUTTER AND TUCKER
A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Louisiana Recovery Authority to develop and prepare an Action Plan to use Community Development Block Grant funds to redeem, purchase, defease, or otherwise retire not less than fifty percent of the bonds of the Louisiana Citizens Property Insurance Corporation.

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Read by title.

Rep. Hutter sent up floor amendments which were read as follows:

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Representatives Hutter and Tucker to Engrossed House Concurrent Resolution No. 180 by Representative Hutter

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 3, at the end of line 21, before the period "." insert a comma "," and the following:

"to the extent allowable under federal law and regulation or as authorized pursuant to waiver by the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development"

On motion of Rep. Hutter, the amendments were adopted.

On motion of Rep. Hutter, the resolution, as amended, was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 191—

BY REPRESENTATIVE PITRE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To suspend until sixty days after final adjournment of the 2007 Regular Session of the Legislature of Louisiana that portion of Act No. 57 of the 2005 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature that delineates the coordinates of the approximately five acres to be used by the Grand Isle Port Commission for off-bottom oyster culture.

Read by title.

Rep. Pitre moved the adoption of the resolution.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called with the following result:

YEAS

Mr. Speaker	Farrar	Morrish
Alario	Faucheux	Odinot
Alexander	Frith	Pierre
Ansardi	Gallot	Pinac
Arnold	Geymann	Pitre
Badon	Glover	Powell, M.
Baldone	Gray	Powell, T.
Barrow	Greene	Quezaire
Baudoin	Guillory, M.	Richmond
Baylor	Hammett	Ritchie
Beard	Harris	Robideaux
Bowler	Heaton	Romero
Bruce	Hebert	Scalise
Bruneau	Hill	Schneider
Burns	Honey	Smiley
Burrell	Hopkins	Smith, G.
Carter, K.	Hunter	Smith, J.D.—50th
Carter, R.	Hutter	Smith, J.H.—8th
Cazayoux	Jackson	Smith, J.R.—30th
Chandler	Jefferson	St. Germain
Crane	Johns	Strain
Cravins	Katz	Thompson
Crowe	Kenney	Toomy
Curtis	Kleckley	Townsend

Damico
Daniel
Dartez
DeWitt
Doerge
Dorsey
Dove
Downs
Durand
Erdey
Fannin

Total - 103

LaBruzzo
LaFleur
LaFonta
Lambert
Lancaster
Marchand
Martiny
McDonald
McVea
Montgomery
Morrell

Trahan
Triche
Tucker
Waddell
Walker
Walsworth
White
Winston
Wooton

NAYS

Total - 0

ABSENT

Guillory, E.
Total - 2

Kennard

The resolution was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 12—

BY REPRESENTATIVE HEBERT

A RESOLUTION

To adopt House Rule 10.10 of the Rules of Order of the House of Representatives to require the tally of votes to be visible to each member in the chamber while voting.

Read by title.

Rep. Hebert moved the adoption of the resolution.

By a vote of 40 yeas and 57 nays, the resolution was rejected.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 194—

BY REPRESENTATIVE LAFONTA

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To authorize and request the Louisiana State Law Institute to evaluate the impact of immigration on Louisiana laws and make recommendations to the legislature on those areas of laws which should be studied or make recommendations as to specific changes to existing laws or proposing the enactment of new laws, or both.

Read by title.

Motion

On motion of Rep. Hunter, the resolution was returned to the calendar.

Senate Concurrent Resolutions on Third Reading for Final Consideration

The following Senate Concurrent Resolutions on third reading for final consideration were taken up and acted upon as follows:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 10—

BY SENATOR NEVERS

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Economic Development and the Department of Agriculture and Forestry to promote the use of alternative fuels and provide incentives for companies and consumers who use alternative fuels.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Ritchie, the resolution was concurred in.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 65—

BY SENATOR SMITH

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To memorialize the Congress of the United States to adopt an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to define marriage in the United States as the union between one man and one woman.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Alexander, the resolution was concurred in.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 59—

BY SENATOR MCPHERSON

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To nominate a portion of Drake's Creek in Vernon Parish for inclusion in the Louisiana Natural and Scenic Rivers System.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Farrar, the resolution was concurred in.

Conference Committee Reports Received

Conference Committee Reports were received for the following legislative instruments:

House Bill No. 418

House Bill No. 800

The conference committee reports for the legislative instruments above lie over under the rules.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Farrar, the rules were suspended in order to take up and consider Petitions, Memorials and Communications at this time.

Petitions, Memorials and Communications

The following petitions, memorials, and communications were received and read:

Message from the Senate

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

June 1, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has concurred in the following House Concurrent Resolutions:

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1
Returned without amendments

House Concurrent Resolution No. 2
Returned without amendments

House Concurrent Resolution No. 74
Returned without amendments

House Concurrent Resolution No. 112
Returned without amendments

House Concurrent Resolution No. 142
Returned with amendments

House Concurrent Resolution No. 168
Returned without amendments

House Concurrent Resolution No. 201
Returned without amendments

House Concurrent Resolution No. 215
Returned without amendments

House Concurrent Resolution No. 236
Returned with amendments

House Concurrent Resolution No. 245
Returned without amendments

House Concurrent Resolution No. 250
Returned without amendments

House Concurrent Resolution No. 252
Returned without amendments

House Concurrent Resolution No. 253
Returned without amendments

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

Message from the Senate

SENATE BILLS

June 1, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has finally passed the following Senate Bills:

Senate Bill Nos. 81 and 753

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

**Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions
on First Reading**

The following Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on first reading were taken up, read, and placed upon the calendar for their second reading:

SENATE BILL NO. 81—

BY SENATOR JONES

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:3662(H)(1), relative to conducting telephone hearings; to provide that law enforcement officers may appear in hearings by telephone, video conference, or similar communication equipment if agreed upon by the parties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

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SENATE BILL NO. 753 (Substitute of Senate Bill No. 650 by Senator Cravins)— BY SENATOR CRAVINS

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 23:992 and to enact R.S. 23:996, relative to employment of certain aliens; to prohibit the hiring of an alien who is not entitled to lawfully reside or work in the United States; to require the filing of an affidavit with a licensing agency; to provide with respect to an agency, department, board or commission of state or a parish agency to notify the attorney general or local district attorney when an employer who operates a business in the state knowingly employs an alien who is not lawfully entitled to reside or work in the United States; to provide for the attorney general or local district attorney to issue a cease and desist order; to provide for penalties; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Message from the Senate

SIGNED SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

June 1, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the President of the Senate has signed the following Senate Concurrent Resolutions:

Senate Concurrent Resolution Nos. 107 and 108

and ask the Speaker of the House of Representatives to affix his signature to the same.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

The Senate Concurrent Resolutions contained herein were signed by the Speaker of the House.

Message from the Senate

SIGNED SENATE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

June 1, 2006

To the Honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed to inform your honorable body that the President of the Senate has signed the following Senate Bills:

Senate Bill Nos. 1 and 9

and ask the Speaker of the House of Representatives to affix his signature to the same.

Respectfully submitted,

GLENN A. KOEPP
Secretary of the Senate

The Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions contained herein were signed by the Speaker of the House.

Introduction of Resolutions, House and House Concurrent

The following members introduced the following entitled House and House Concurrent Resolutions, which were read the first time by their titles and placed upon the calendar for their second reading:

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 87—

BY REPRESENTATIVE WALKER

A RESOLUTION

To express sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the death of House messenger Blake Roy of Mansura.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Walker, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was adopted.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 88—

BY REPRESENTATIVE SALTER

A RESOLUTION

To declare Friday, June 2, 2006, as United States Postal Service Day at the Louisiana House of Representatives.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Salter, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was adopted.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 260—

BY REPRESENTATIVE ST. GERMAIN AND SENATOR B. GAUTREAUX

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express the sincere and heartfelt condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death in the line of duty of Sergeant Jeremy Newchurch of the Assumption Parish Sheriff's Office.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. St. Germain, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 261—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GLOVER

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize Shreveport's Historic Music Village, the FAME (Foundation for Arts, Music and Entertainment) District, as a significant cultural, historic, and natural resource for the state of Louisiana.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Glover, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 262—

BY REPRESENTATIVES WALSWORTH AND BALDONE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Veterans Affairs Commission to develop a plan for an Iraq War Memorial and to report to the legislature regarding the proposed plan not later than December 31, 2006.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Walsworth, and under a suspension of the rules, the resolution was adopted.

Ordered to the Senate.

Reports of Committees

The following reports of committees were received and read:

Report of the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice

June 1, 2006

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice to submit the following report:

House Bill No. 1318, by Harris
Reported by substitute. (8-0) (Regular)

DANIEL MARTINY
Chairman

Report of the Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture, and Rural Development

June 1, 2006

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture, and Rural Development to submit the following report:

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 68, by Barham
Reported favorably. (11-0)

Senate Bill No. 454, by Ellington
Reported favorably. (9-0) (Regular)

FRANCIS THOMPSON
Chairman

The above Senate Bills reported favorably or with amendments were referred to the Legislative Bureau.

Report of the Committee on Judiciary

June 1, 2006

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on Judiciary to submit the following report:

House Concurrent Resolution No. 232, by M. Powell
Reported with amendments. (8-0-1)

House Bill No. 1245, by Farrar
Reported favorably. (9-2-1) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 49, by Marionneaux
Reported favorably. (10-0-1) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 101, by McPherson
Reported with amendments. (11-0-1) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 156, by Ellington
Reported with amendments. (10-0-1) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 159, by Ellington
Reported favorably. (9-0-1) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 169, by Chaisson
Reported with amendments. (8-0-1) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 214, by Murray
Reported with amendments. (9-0-1) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 226, by N. Gautreaux
Reported with amendments. (11-0-1) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 428, by Amedee
Reported with amendments. (10-0-1) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 622, by Ellington
Reported favorably. (9-0-1) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 643, by Theunissen
Reported favorably. (8-0-1) (Regular)

JOSEPH F. TOOMY
Chairman

The above Senate Bills reported favorably or with amendments were referred to the Legislative Bureau.

Report of the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations

June 1, 2006

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations to submit the following report:

House Concurrent Resolution No. 257, by Hunter
Reported with amendments. (7-0)

House Bill No. 880, by Hunter
Reported by substitute. (9-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 412, by Dardenne
Reported favorably. (7-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 744, by Nevers
Reported favorably. (8-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 745, by Nevers
Reported with amendments. (9-0) (Regular)

WILLIE HUNTER
Chairman

The above Senate Bills reported favorably or with amendments were referred to the Legislative Bureau.

Report of the Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs

June 1, 2006

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on Municipal, Parochial and Cultural Affairs to submit the following report:

Senate Bill No. 122, by Murray
Reported favorably. (8-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 181, by Jones
Reported favorably. (8-0-1) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 204, by Cheek
Reported with amendments. (7-1-1) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 245, by Michot
Reported with amendments. (8-0-1) (Regular)

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Senate Bill No. 468, by Schedler
Reported favorably. (7-0) (Local and Consent)

Senate Bill No. 469, by Schedler
Reported favorably. (7-0) (Local and Consent)

Senate Bill No. 601, by N. Gautreaux
Reported with amendments. (7-0-1) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 640, by Duplessis
Reported favorably. (8-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 658, by Romero
Reported favorably. (8-0-1) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 663, by N. Gautreaux
Reported with amendments. (7-0-1) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 684, by Duplessis
Reported favorably. (7-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 699, by Bajoie
Reported favorably. (8-0-1) (Local and Consent)

Senate Bill No. 709, by Murray
Reported favorably. (7-0) (Regular)

ERNEST BAYLOR, JR.
Chairman

The above Senate Bills reported favorably or with amendments,
except Senate Bill No. 204, were referred to the Legislative Bureau.

Report of the Committee on Retirement

Thursday, June 1, 2006

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on Retirement to submit the
following report:

House Bill No. 1114, by Schneider
Reported with amendments. (8-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 1196, by Glover
Reported favorably. (4-3) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 41, by B. Gautreaux
Reported favorably. (6-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 43, by B. Gautreaux
Reported favorably. (7-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 88, by B. Gautreaux
Reported favorably. (7-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 258, by Boasso
Reported with amendments. (8-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 317, by B. Gautreaux
Reported favorably. (8-0) (Regular)

Senate Bill No. 376, by Dardenne
Reported favorably. (8-0) (Regular)

M.P. SCHNEIDER III
Chairman

The above Senate Bills reported favorably or with amendments,
except Senate Bill No. 258, were referred to the Legislative Bureau.

Report of the Committee on Ways and Means

June 1, 2006

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on Ways and Means to submit
the following report:

House Bill No. 607, by Tucker
Reported with amendments. (12-0) (Regular)

House Bill No. 714, by Gallot
Reported with amendments. (16-0) (Regular)

BRYANT O. HAMMETT, JR.
Chairman

Privileged Report of the Legislative Bureau

June 1, 2006

To the Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Legislative Bureau to submit the
following report:

Senate Bill No. 19
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 451
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 570
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 620
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 685
Reported without amendments.

Senate Bill No. 732
Reported without amendments.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES MCDONALD
Chairman

House Bills and Joint Resolutions on Second Reading to be Referred

The following House Bills and Joint Resolutions on second
reading to be referred to committees were taken up, read, and
referred to committees, as follows:

Motion

On motion of Rep. Beard, the Committee on Transportation,
Highways and Public Works was discharged from further
consideration of House Bill No. 1398.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1398 (Substitute for House Bill No. 1122 by
Representative Beard)—**

BY REPRESENTATIVE BEARD

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 38:2212(F)(3) and 2212.1(C)(3), relative to contracts
let by public entities; to provide relative to purchases by public
entities of water or sewerage equipment, apparatus, machinery,

materials, or supplies; to prohibit certain parties from packaging products contained in bid specifications; to require certain products to be priced individually in bids; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

Motion

On motion of Rep. Beard, the bill was ordered passed to its third reading.

Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on Second Reading to be Referred

The following Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions on second reading to be referred were taken up, read, and referred to committees, as follows:

Motion

On motion of Rep. Martiny, the Committee on Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of Senate Bill No. 338.

SENATE BILL NO. 338— BY SENATOR AMEDEE

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 13:4207, relative to judges; to provide relative to rendition of judgments; to provide relative to oral judgment in open court; to require written judgments when oral reasons for judgment are not rendered; to provide for an extension of such time limits under certain circumstances; and to provide for related matters.

Read by title.

On motion of Rep. Martiny, the bill was recommitted to the Committee on Administration of Criminal Justice.

Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment

June 1, 2006

To the honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on Enrollment to submit the following report:

The following House Resolutions have been properly enrolled:

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 83— BY REPRESENTATIVE DORSEY

A RESOLUTION

To recognize Thursday, June 8, 2006, as Girl Scouts of the USA Day at the Louisiana State Capitol.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 84— BY REPRESENTATIVE FARRAR

A RESOLUTION

To commend Dr. and Mrs. George E. Hearn for fifty years of marriage.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 85— BY REPRESENTATIVE RICHMOND

A RESOLUTION

To commend the National Black Home Educators and to recognize the benefits of home education and the positive and successful learning experience that it provides for many African-American families in Louisiana and the nation.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 86— BY REPRESENTATIVE DURAND

A RESOLUTION

To urge and request the Department of Health and Hospitals, in conjunction with the Department of Insurance, to study the implementation of Act 269 of the 2004 Regular Session and report to the House Committees on Health and Welfare and Insurance on the status of the implementation.

Respectfully submitted,

DONALD RAY KENNARD
Chairman

The above House Resolutions contained in the report were signed by the Speaker of the House and taken by the Clerk of the House to the Secretary of State in accordance with the rules of the House.

Privileged Report of the Committee on Enrollment

June 1, 2006

To the honorable Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am directed by your Committee on Enrollment to submit the following report:

The following House Concurrent Resolutions have been properly enrolled:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 243—

BY REPRESENTATIVES GARY SMITH, SALTER, ALARIO, ALEXANDER, ANSARDI, ARNOLD, BADON, BALDONE, BARROW, BAUDOUIN, BAYLOR, BEARD, BOWLER, BRUCE, BRUNEAU, BURNS, BURRELL, K. CARTER, R. CARTER, CAZAYOUX, CHANDLER, CRANE, CRAVINS, CROWE, CURTIS, DAMICO, DANIEL, DARTEZ, DEWITT, DOERGE, DORSEY, DOVE, DOWNS, DURAND, ERDEY, FANNIN, FARRAR, FAUCHEUX, FRITH, GALLOT, GEYMAN, GLOVER, GRAY, GREENE, E. GUILLORY, M. GUILLORY, HAMMETT, HARRIS, HEATON, HEBERT, HILL, HONEY, HOPKINS, HUNTER, HUTTER, JACKSON, JEFFERSON, JOHNS, KATZ, KENNARD, KENNEY, KLECKLEY, LABRUZZO, LAFLEUR, LAFONTA, LAMBERT, LANCASTER, MARCHAND, MARTINY, MCDONALD, MCVEA, MONTGOMERY, MORRELL, MORRISH, ODINET, PIERRE, PINAC, PITRE, M. POWELL, T. POWELL, QUEZAIRE, RICHMOND, RITCHIE, ROBIDEAUX, ROMERO, SCALISE, SCHNEIDER, SMILEY, JACK SMITH, JANE SMITH, JOHN SMITH, ST. GERMAIN, STRAIN, THOMPSON, TOOMY, TOWNSEND, TRAHAN, TRICHE, TUCKER, WADDELL, WALKER, WALSWORTH, WHITE, WINSTON, AND WOOTON AND SENATORS CHAISSON, HINES, ADLEY, AMEDEE, BAJOE, BARHAM, BOASSO, BROOME, CAIN, CHEEK, CRAVINS, DARDENNE, DUPLESSIS, DUPRE, ELLINGTON, FIELDS, FONTENOT, B. GAUTREAUX, N. GAUTREAUX, HEITMEIER, HOLLIS, JACKSON, JONES, KOSTELKA, LENTINI, MALONE, MARIONNEAUX, MCPHERSON, MICHOT, MOUNT, MURRAY, NEVERS, QUINN, ROMERO, SCHEDLER, SHEPHERD, SMITH, THEUNISSEN, AND ULLO

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the New Jersey State Police for their service to the city of New Orleans following Hurricane Katrina.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 244—

BY REPRESENTATIVE BALDONE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To commend the Office of Group Benefits for its study of the effects of obesity on health insurance.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 249—

BY REPRESENTATIVE MARCHAND

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To recognize May 31, 2006, as Alpha Day at the Louisiana State Capitol and to express support of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated, in its effort to assist in the recovery and restoration of New Orleans, Louisiana, and those who suffered the devastation of Hurricanes Katrina and Rita; and also to focus its attention to the upgrading of the health level of African-

American citizens, particularly the elderly and disabled, in Louisiana.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 251—

BY REPRESENTATIVE GALLOT

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To express sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the death of Charlene S. Greene.

Respectfully submitted,

DONALD RAY KENNARD
Chairman

The above House Concurrent Resolutions contained in the report were signed by the Speaker of the House and taken to the Senate by the Clerk of the House and were signed by the President of the Senate and taken by the Clerk of the House to the Secretary of State in accordance with the rules of the House.

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Alario, the rules were suspended to permit the Committee on Appropriations to consider the following legislative instruments that were not listed on the weekly committee schedule as required by House Rule 14.23:

House Bill Nos. 437 and 826

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Pinac, the rules were suspended to permit the Committee on Commerce to consider the following legislative instruments that were not listed on the weekly committee schedule as required by House Rule 14.23:

House Bill No. 1050

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Quezaire, the rules were suspended to permit the Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to consider the following legislative instruments that were not listed on the weekly committee schedule as required by House Rule 14.23:

Senate Bill No. 673

Suspension of the Rules

On motion of Rep. Hammett, the rules were suspended to permit the Committee on Ways and Means to consider the following legislative instruments that were not listed on the weekly committee schedule as required by House Rule 14.23:

Senate Bill No. 445

Leave of Absence

Rep. Kennard - 1 day

Adjournment

On motion of Rep. Kenney, at 4:38 P.M., the House agreed to adjourn until Monday, June 5, 2006, at 2:00 P.M.

The Speaker of the House declared the House adjourned until 2:00 P.M., Monday, June 5, 2006.

ALFRED W. SPEER

Clerk of the House

COMMITTEE MEETING NOTICES

Committee on Appropriations

Will meet at: 10:30 A.M. Date: June 5, 2006

Location: Committee Room 5

HB 370 DAMICO INSURANCE/GROUP-STATE
Provides relative to Office of Group Benefits' vesting requirements for certain retirees

HB 437 B A L D O N E (T B A)
APPROPRIATIONS/JUDGMENT Appropriates funds to satisfy claim for medical expenses in the suit entitled "Deborah Batson, et al v. South Louisiana Medical Center et al" (SUBJECT TO RULE SUSPENSION)

HB 728 LAMBERT FUNDS/FUNDING Dedicates a portion of truck and trailer registration and licensing fees and taxes for roads in the state highway system which are ineligible for federal assistance

HB 826 BALDONE (TBA) PUBLIC CONTRACT/BIDS
Provides for a request for qualifications process for professional services (SUBJECT TO RULE SUSPENSION)

HB 899 ALARIO FUNDS/FUNDING Increases supplemental pay for firemen, police officers, and law enforcement officers employed by police agencies of the state or its political subdivisions within certain municipalities and deputy sheriffs who have completed at least one year of service

HB 925 WALKER STATE AGENCIES Authorizes the creation of charter agencies

HB 965 SCALISE HEALTH Prohibits use of public funds for human cloning

HB 967 MORRISH APPROPRIATIONS Provides a procedure for submission and review of information related to proposed amendments to the General Appropriation Bill

HB 1031 MARCHAND PROPERTY/IMMOVABLE
Provides relative to right of first refusal

SB 7 NEVERS FUNDS/FUNDING Conforms statutes with the constitutional provisions regarding the Agricultural and Seafood Products Support Fund.

SB 137 DUPRE FUNDS/FUNDING Provides for the expenditure or disbursement of Hazard Mitigation Grant Program funds.

SB 140 ELLINGTON UNCLAIMED PROPERTY
Reduces the time period under which stocks and related items are presumed abandoned if unclaimed during a certain time.

SB 151 MCPHERSON PROCUREMENT CODE
Provides for a small business program for information technology.

- SB 215 ELLINGTON UNCLAIMED PROPERTY** Reduces the time period under which the travelers checks are presumed abandoned unclaimed property.
- SB 358 ELLINGTON PROCUREMENT CODE** Exempts certain consulting service contracts related to acquisition of rights-of-way by DOTD from general state requirements for professional service contracts. (gov sig)
- SB 393 ELLINGTON PROCUREMENT CODE** Requires conduct of cost-benefit analysis to only those proposed professional, personal, consulting, or social services over \$50,000 and with a term longer than six months.
- SB 503 HEITMEIER PUBLIC CONTRACTS** Provides for the review process of performance-based energy efficiency contracts.
- SB 513 BARHAM GROUP BENEFITS PROGRAM** Enables certain state employees and officials to continue membership in State Group Benefits Insurance Plan for payment of 100% of their premium after their state service ends. (gov sig)
- SB 545 SCHEDLER FUNDS/FUNDING** Provides for the distribution of certain collections from the sales of services. (7/1/06)
- SB 575 BARHAM ATTORNEY GENERAL** Provides for documenting and reporting contract with legal counsel to Louisiana attorney general's office.
- SB 605 MCPHERSON HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT** Provides for violations and penalties on nursing homes. (gov sig)
- SCR 28 BOASSO GOVERNOR** Requests the Governor's Office and the Louisiana Recovery Authority to provide accurate, detailed information and work papers to the legislature at least seven business days before submitting legislative instruments for approval of proposals for authority expenditures.

JOHN A. ALARIO, JR.
Chairman

Committee on Civil Law and Procedure

Will meet at: 10:00 A.M. Date: June 5, 2006

Location: Committee Room 2

- HCR 242 TRICHE PROPERTY** Authorizes the Louisiana State Law Institute to study issues relating to the co-ownership of property
- SB 51 MARIONNEAUX MATRIMONIAL REGIMES** Provides relative to use of community movable property by a spouse.
- SB 241 SHEPHERD CONTRACTS** Provides for treatment of instruments or writings recorded subsequent to recordation of a bond for deed transaction.
- SB 328 MARIONNEAUX MALPRACTICE** Repeals certain limitations relative to health care provider-patient privilege and a patient's medical information in medical malpractice claims.

- SB 455 MALONE PRIVILEGES/LIENS** Provides relative to exemption of certain mineral leases to the extinction of certain rights. (6/30/06)
- SB 471 DUPLESSIS SEIZURES/SALES** Provides relative to exemption from seizure of certain insurance proceeds.
- SB 728 SHEPHERD HISTORIC PRESERVATION** Provides with respect to preservation of buildings and landmarks in certain historic preservation districts by changing prescriptive period in which to bring action to enforce zoning restrictions. (gov sig)

GLENN ANSARDI
Chairman

Committee on Commerce

Will meet at: 9:30 A.M. Date: June 5, 2006

Location: Committee Room 1

- HB 1050 FRITH (TBA) SECURITIES** Creates the Louisiana Motor Vehicle Title Loan Act (**Subject to Rule Suspension**)
- SB 6 SHEPHERD FIRE PROTECTION** Requires mattresses and box springs sold in Louisiana to be fire retardant.
- SB 285 MARIONNEAUX AMUSEMENTS/SPORTS** Provide for changes to boxing and wrestling provisions.
- SB 383 DARDENNE COMMERCIAL REGULATIONS** Provides for the revision of the general provisions of the Uniform Commercial Code.
- SB 554 ULLO CEMETERIES** Provides for cemetery business activities by limited liability companies and by cemetery sales organizations and cemetery management organizations.
- SB 662 MICHOT TECHNOLOGY** Creates the Louisiana Immersive Technologies Enterprise Commission.
- SB 698 BAJIOE PAWNBROKERS** Provides relative to Internet-based pawnbrokers.
- SB 743 MURRAY MOTOR VEHICLES** Creates the Louisiana Motor Vehicle Title Loan Act. (gov sig)
- SB 747 MURRAY SPECIAL DISTRICTS** Authorizes a fixed rate for emergency telephone service charge for the Orleans Parish Communication District.

GIL PINAC
Chairman

Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works

Will meet at: 9:30 A.M. Date: June 5, 2006

Location: Committee Room 3

- HB 1032 MARCHAND LEVEES** Provides relative to the management of non-flood protection assets of certain levee districts

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- SB 222 MOUNT MOTOR VEHICLES** Increases penalties for persons who allow unlicensed minors to drive a motor vehicle.
- SB 269 DUPRE CONTRACTS** Increases the public bid law "contract limit" until January 1, 2009 for certain projects to restore or rehabilitate non-federal levees in certain circumstances. (gov sig)
- SB 284 FONTENOT MOTOR VEHICLES** Denies or suspends driving privileges for a minor who does not meet certain school attendance requirements and authorizes local school boards and nonpublic schools to adopt policies to report dropouts to subject such persons to denial or suspension of driving privileges.
- SB 612 MOUNT CRIME/PUNISHMENT** Provides with respect to registration of sex offenders and issuance of a sex offender identification card as a predator alert system involving sex offender.
- SB 673 MALONE (TBA) PUBLIC CONTRACTS** Requires certain successful bidders to provide a written and notarized declaration of certain information to the public entity prior to execution of a contract for public work exceeding \$500,000. **(SUBJECT TO RULES SUSPENSION)**
- SB 723 MALONE PORTS/HARBORS/TERMINALS** Terminates terms of current members of the Caddo-Bossier Parishes Port Commission and revises the commission's membership.
- SB 736 M A R I O N N E A U X PORTS/HARBORS/TERMINALS** Provides for membership of the Greater Baton Rouge Port Commission. (gov sig) (2/3-CA6s43(3))

Receive report from the office of motor vehicles pursuant to House Concurrent Resolution No. 217 from the 2006 Regular Session relative to the status of office of motor vehicle field offices in hurricane-related areas.
Kay Hodges, Commissioner

Consider FY 2007 Annual Coastal Protection and Restoration Plan

ROY QUEZAIRE
Chairman

Committee on Ways and Means

Will meet at: 9:30 A.M. Date: June 5, 2006

Location: Committee Room 6

- HB 295 RICHMOND ASSESSORS** (Constitutional Amendment) Provides for one state assessor to be appointed by the governor
- HB 642 BADON ASSESSORS** (Constitutional Amendment) Provides for a single assessor in Orleans Parish
- HB 656 BADON ASSESSORS** Provides for a single assessor in Orleans Parish
- HB 1064 WINSTON TAX/SALES-USE, STATE** Provides extensions for filing and payment of state sales and use taxes

SB 95 BROOME FUNDS/FUNDING Creates the Louisiana Habitat for Humanity Loan Purchase Program within the Louisiana Housing Finance Agency. (7/1/06)

SB 299 DUPLESSIS INSURANCE PREMIUMS Provides for a qualified Louisiana investment for purposes of the insurance premium tax credit program.

SB 445 JACKSON, L. (TBA) HOUSING Provides for program priorities for housing needs in Katrina/Rita FEMA disaster areas and for citizens displaced from Katrina/Rita disaster areas. (gov sig) **(Subject to Rule Suspension)**

SB 546 MOUNT TAX/LOCAL Eliminates the local sales tax on Medicare Part D prescriptions. (7/1/06)

SB 618 HINES TAX/TAXATION Provides for more effective collection of state and local taxes from contractors. (7/1/06) (CA7s2.1(A))

BRYANT O. HAMMETT, JR.
Chairman

Weekly Committee Schedules

The following committees posted weekly committee schedules as follows:

Weekly Committee Schedule

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture, and Rural Development

Thursday, June 8, 2006
Committee Room No. 3

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

NO MEETING IS SCHEDULED

FRANCIS C. THOMPSON
Chairman

Weekly Committee Schedule

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Committee on Education

Tuesday, June 6, 2006
Committee Room No. 1
9:00 A.M.

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

HB 1334 CROWE TEXTBOOKS/MATERIALS Relative to review of textbooks prior to state adoption, increases the time period allotted for review, number of locations available to make such review, and number of samples available for such review and to be checked out

SB 111 NEVERS SCHOOLS Requires inclusion of adoption awareness instruction in certain secondary school courses.

SB 749 NEVERS VOCATIONAL PROGRAMS Provides for articulated and reciprocal programs of technical training for students between secondary schools and community and technical colleges to address potential dropouts with technical training. (gov sig)

SCR 13 DARDENNE AMUSEMENTS/SPORTS Requests LHSAA to take certain steps and provide a means for awareness and prevention of the use of anabolic steroids and other performance-enhancing supplements by high school athletes.

SCR 9 KOSTELKA BESE Requests the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to implement a program to grant high school diplomas to qualifying Korean and Vietnam veterans.

Wednesday, June 7, 2006

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

NO MEETING IS SCHEDULED.

CARL CRANE
Chairman

Weekly Committee Schedule

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Committee on Health and Welfare

Tuesday, June 6, 2006
Committee Room No. 5
9:30 A.M.

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

HB 337 GUILLORY, M. ELDERLY Requires federal criminal history checks and elder abuse training for nonlicensed persons and licensed ambulance personnel

SB 417 BAJOE HEALTH CARE Requires clinical laboratories to determine the estimated glomerular filtration rate of certain patients.

SB 450 JACKSON, L. GOVERNOR Provides for membership of the Children's Cabinet Advisory Board.

SB 467 FONTENOT CONTROL DANGER SUBSTANCE Provides relative to prescriptions for controlled dangerous substances.

SB 596 SCHEDLER MENTAL HEALTH Provides for penalties for performing mental health or substance abuse counseling without a license.

SB 614 BAJOE SOCIAL SERVICES DEPT Provides for flexibility to the Department of Social Services, office of rehabilitation services director for the personal assistance program.

SB 624 MCPHERSON MENTAL HEALTH Makes provisions to add nurse practitioner and psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner relative to mental health law.

SB 666 SCHEDLER HEALTH CARE Redefines "physician" for purposes of pain management clinics.

SB 679 MCPHERSON HEALTH CARE Defines "pharmacy collaborative drug therapy management."

SB 727 ELLINGTON HUMAN DEVELOPMENT Establishes the Northeast Delta Human Services Authority. (gov sig)

Wednesday, June 7, 2006
9:30 A.M.

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

HCR 231 GLOVER HEALTH/DHH Authorizes and directs the Department of Health and Hospitals to develop and implement a statewide pharmacy access program

HCR 246 MORRISH HEALTH/DISEASE CONTROL Directs the Department of Health and Hospitals to promptly transfer state general funds to the LSU School of Veterinary Medicine for arbovirus testing

HCR 258 DURAND HEALTH Creates the multiparish Health Services Recovery Council to advance statewide hurricane recovery and planning

HCR 259 DURAND HEALTH CARE To reestablish the framework for regional health care consortiums created pursuant to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 95 of the 2004 Regular Session

SB 48 FONTENOT HEALTH CARE Relative to legend drugs.

SB 613 CHEEK NURSING HOMES Provides relative to nursing home reimbursement case mix methodology.

SB 742 MARIONNEAUX ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH Prohibits and penalizes smoking in public buildings, schools, other public places, and inside places of employment. (1/1/07)

SYDNIE MAE DURAND
Chairman

Weekly Committee Schedule

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Committee on House and Governmental Affairs

Tuesday, June 6, 2006
Committee Room No. 2
9:30 A.M.

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

SB 18 FIELDS ELECTION CODE Provides for a closed party primary election system for congressional offices with candidates and voters participating in a first and second primary according to party affiliation. (1/1/07)

SB 86 JONES VOTERS/VOTING Extends early voting time from Sat. at noon to Sat at 4:30 p.m. (gov sig)

SB 411 MALONE ELECTED OFFICIALS Requires the attorney general and district attorneys to institute a civil action against an individual who has registered to run for office in violation of the Constitution of Louisiana.

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- SB 427 CHAISSON ELECTION CODE** Provides that when a candidate qualifies for more than one office in the same qualifying period, the last qualifying papers filed determines the office for which he is a candidate.
- SCR 6 JONES VOTERS/VOTING** Provides for the creation of a task force to identify and locate displaced Louisiana citizens and to aid in their return to Louisiana.
- SB 691 ADLEY LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR** Subjects private water companies and other similar entities receiving any public funds to audit and inspection by the legislative auditor.
- SCR 20 SCHEDLER COMMITTEE STUDIES** Requests the Senate Committee on Environmental Quality and the House Committee on the Environment to study and make recommendations regarding recycling and disposal options relative to computers and other electronic equipment.
- SCR 61 CAIN LEGIS POWERS/FUNCTIONS** Directs the governor to have lowered the flags flying over the State Capitol Building to half-staff in observance of the death of each Louisiana resident who is member of the United States armed forces and is killed in war.
- SCR 38 BROOME LIBRARIES** Establishes a group to study the implications and steps that should be taken to establish the Louisiana Virtual Library Council as a state entity.
- SB 286 FIELDS PUBLIC BUILDINGS/GROUNDS** Provides for the naming of the floor on which the executive offices of the Department of Social Services are housed in memory of Mia George.
- SB 476 CAIN SECRETARY OF STATE** Authorizes the secretary of state, upon request, to prepare certain documents recognizing the religious heritage of America.
- SB 160 JONES INTERGOVERN RELATIONS** Provides for the creation of a regional alliance between Mississippi, Alabama, Louisiana and Texas (MALTS) to work together for the restoration and revitalization of areas affected by hurricanes Katrina and Rita. (gov sig)

**Wednesday, June 7, 2006
9:30 A.M.**

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

- SB 382 DARDENNE ETHICS** Eliminates authority for elected officials to be offered or accept gifts of cultural and sporting events.
- SB 687 DARDENNE ETHICS** Provides exceptions for certain insurance producers to serve as professional insurance advisors or producers of record to governmental entities.
- SB 194 LENTINI EVIDENCE** Provides for the admission of certain records within the Department of Social Services in court proceedings. (gov sig)

- SB 597 DARDENNE SECRETARY OF STATE** Provides means to shield address of registered voters who are victims of abuse.

- SCR 76 DARDENNE LEGIS POWERS/FUNCTIONS** Requests the legislative agriculture, forestry, aquaculture and rural development committees to study the feasibility of creating a Louisiana agricultural and seafood surplus products purchase program and a purchasing board to oversee the program.

- SB 185 SHEPHERD JUDGES** Provides relative to a vacancy in the Fifth Circuit Court of Appeal.

CHARLES D. LANCASTER, JR.
Chairman

Weekly Committee Schedule

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Committee on Natural Resources

**Tuesday, June 6, 2006
Committee Room No. 4
10:30 A.M.**

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

- HCR 193 PITRE COASTAL RES/WETLANDS** Approves Fiscal Year 2006-2007 Coastal Wetlands Protection and Restoration Plan
- HB 1155 SMILEY WATER/RESOURCES** Defines "isolated wetlands" for certain state and local regulatory purposes
- SB 30 MCPHERSON HUNTERS/HUNTING** Requires no net loss of certain public lands for hunting and fishing.
- SB 664 DUPRE NATURAL RESOURCES DEPT** Provides relative to acquisition of land for certain coastal conservation, restoration and protection plans and projects. (gov sig)

Consideration of a request for approval by University of Louisiana System to sell certain immovable property located adjacent to the Hammond Airport.

Wednesday, June 7, 2006

INSTRUMENTS TO BE HEARD:

NO MEETING IS SCHEDULED

WILFRED PIERRE
Chairman

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